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Mr. Solomon, from the Committee on Rules, reported the following resolution; which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed

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- 1 Resolved, That at any time after the adoption of this
- 2 resolution it shall be in order to consider in the House
- 3 the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 17) relating to

- 1 the treatment of Social Security under any constitutional
- 2 amendment requiring a balanced budget, if called up by
- 3 the majority leader or his designee. The concurrent resolu-
- 4 tion shall be debatable for one hour equally divided and
- 5 controlled by the majority leader and the minority leader
- 6 or their designees. The previous question shall be consid-
- 7 ered as ordered on the concurrent resolution to final adop-
- 8 tion without intervening motion.
- 9 Sec. 2. At any time after the disposition of the con-
- 10 current resolution made in order by the first section of
- 11 this resolution, the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 1(b)
- 12 of rule XXIII, declare the House resolved into the Com-
- 13 mittee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for
- 14 consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 1) propos-
- 15 ing a balanced budget amendment to the Constitution of
- 16 the United States. The first reading of the joint resolution
- 17 shall be dispensed with. Points of order against consider-
- 18 ation of the joint resolution for failure to comply with
- 19 clause 2(g)(3) of rule XI are waived. General debate shall
- 20 be confined to the joint resolution and shall not exceed
- 21 three hours equally divided and controlled by the chairman
- 22 and ranking minority member of the Committee on the
- 23 Judiciary. After general debate the joint resolution shall
- 24 be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule.
- 25 The amendment in the nature of a substitute rec-

ommended by the Committee on the Judiciary now printed in the joint resolution shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for one hour equally divided and controlled 3 4 by Representative Barton of Texas and an opponent, and shall not be subject to amendment while pending. No further amendment shall be in order except those designated in section 3 of this resolution. Each amendment may be offered only in the order designated, may be offered only 8 by the named proponent or a designee, may be considered notwithstanding the adoption of a previous amendment in 10 the nature of a substitute, shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for one hour equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, and shall not be subject to amendment. If more than one amendment is adopted, then only the one receiving the greater number of affirmative votes shall be considered as finally adopted. In the case of a tie for the greater number of affirmative votes, then only the last amendment to receive that number of affirmative votes shall be considered as finally 19 adopted, except that if the amendment in the nature of 20 a substitute recommended by the Committee on the Judi-21 ciary is one of the amendments receiving the greater number of votes then it shall be the amendment considered as finally adopted. At the conclusion of consideration of the joint resolution for amendment the Committee shall

- 1 rise and report the joint resolution to the House with such
- 2 amendment as may have been finally adopted. The pre-
- 3 vious question shall be considered as ordered on the joint
- 4 resolution and any amendment thereto to final passage
- 5 without intervening motion except one motion to recommit
- 6 with or without instructions.
- 7 SEC. 3. The further amendments that may be offered
- 8 after disposition of the amendment in the nature of a sub-
- 9 stitute recommended by the Committee on the Judiciary
- 10 are those printed in the portion of the Congressional
- 11 Record designated for that purpose in clause 6 of rule
- 12 XXIII with the following designations: (a) the amendment
- 13 numbered 4 by Representative Owens of New York; (b)
- 14 the amendment numbered 1 by Representative Wise of
- 15 West Virginia; (c) the amendment numbered 25 by Rep-
- 16 resentative Conyers of Michigan; (d) the amendment num-
- 17 bered 29 by Representative Gephardt of Missouri; and (e)
- 18 the amendment numbered 39 by Representative Schaefer
- 19 of Colorado.